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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the December 20, 2002 Office Action, Applicants submit herewith one (1) sheet of drawings with proposed drawing corrections to Figure 4. Specifically, Applicants have added the reference numeral α to denote the arc of the convexly curved surfaces extending about 60 degrees and the reference numerals M₁ and M₂ to denote the midpoints of the arc α. Approval of this proposed drawing correction is respectfully requested.-

Respectfully submitted,

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